SENATE BILL 1170

By Finney L

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 70, Chapter 2, Part 1, relative to licenses and permits.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-2-104(a), is amended by deleting the word "and" at the end of subdivision (2), by adding the following new language immediately preceding subdivision (3) and by renumbering the subsequent subdivisions accordingly:

(3) Permanent sport combination hunting and fishing license upon payment of a one-time ten dollar (\$10.00) fee to those residents of Tennessee who, due to rheumatoid arthritis, are fifty percent (50%) or more disabled. The director shall accept as evidence for the purposes of this section a certificate from a physician licensed to practice medicine in this state certifying that the applicant meets the requirements of this section with reference to permanent restriction to a wheelchair; and

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009, the public welfare requiring it.